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## GEN. WOOD IS COMING TO ALMA

Distinguished American Will Be Here Morning of Saturday, March 27.

## IS PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE

Speeches and Big Luncheon Are Being Planned For City's Big Day.

On Saturday, March 27, Alma will be honored by a visit to this city of Leonard A. Wood, probably at the present time the leading candidate for the nomination for the Presidency on the Republican ticket at the National convention.

It is very probable that Alma will thus be honored by a presidential candidate. Certain it is that the City of Alma will be the smallest community in the state that will be honored by having the privilege of being host to Leonard A. Wood during the primary presidential race.

Years have rolled by since Alma has been so honored during a presidential campaign race, or primary, as the efforts of candidates for such offices are invariably confined to the larger cities of the country.

The distinguished candidate will arrive in Alma from Bay City on the 8:15 a. m. Pere Marquette train, and will remain here until the Pere Marquette westbound train leaves at 1:37 p. m.

The program for the visit of Leonard A. Wood to Alma has not yet been mapped out entirely, but it is practically a certainty that a meeting of the Republican committeemen will be held during the morning, probably at the Gratiot Club, at which time the committeemen will have the opportunity to meet the candidate.

Arrangements have already been made for a speech to be delivered by Leonard A. Wood at 11:00 a. m. at the Republic plant here. The Republic Motor Truck Company Inc. will allow all of its employees plenty of time to get out of the plant for the address.

A noon luncheon will be served at the Republic cafeteria at which General Wood will be the guest of honor. Owing to the limited seating capacity, for the number who are certain to be desirous of hearing him speak at the luncheon, it will be necessary to issue invitations for this event.

The visit of Leonard A. Wood to Gratiot county, and particularly to Alma, is certain to be greeted with delight by the warm supporters that he has here.

To O. L. Smith, prosecuting attorney of the county, much of the credit is due in the efforts which were made in getting Wood's campaign managers to put Alma on the itinerary.

## CONCERT WEDNESDAY

White and Veatch Will Appear Here Next Week.

Roderick White, America's famous violinist, appears in Alma assisted by Mr. Reese Veatch, baritone. Mr. White has played in the largest cities of America with amazing success. He is a pupil of Leopold Auer of Petrograd and is classed with Heifetz, Elman, and Zimbalist. At present he is touring in concert with Emmy Distin of the Metropolitan Grand Opera Company. The New York Sun says of his re-appearance there, "He has a fine masculine strength in bowing, largeness and warmth of tone, correct intonation and on the whole an admirable technique were qualities he employed in good measure."

Mr. Veatch will be remembered as a member of the faculty of Alma college. He has been on concerts with Mr. White this year in the western part of the state. Mr. Veatch is the possessor of a baritone voice of exceptional range, he sings very artistically with admirable interpretation. "Tis with the greatest pleasure his many friends will welcome him to the city."

The general public is most cordially invited to attend this entertainment which is given for the benefit of the music department of Alma high school. Admission 50c.

## CARNEY HOSPITAL

Alma Institution to Be Moved to Its New Quarters Soon.

The Dr. T. J. Carney hospital will be moved from its present location in the Shepard building on South Woodworth avenue, to its new location, on North Woodworth avenue, which was recently purchased by Dr. Carney. The Abbott property, as the place has been known, has been completely remodeled under the supervision of Dr. Carney, at an expense of several thousand dollars, so that it will completely answer the needs for a first-class private hospital, and will present a fine appearance when the work is completed.

The work is rapidly nearing completion and it is expected that within the next few days the hospital will be moved to the new location.

Geraldine Farrar in "The Flame of the Desert," Idlehour today—adv.

DeLuxe candies are the best. 77-17

## PLANS TRIP

Republicans Will Go West Early in Month of June.

The Republicans, whose schedule is now being compiled, will have at least one long trip during the 1920 playing season, as the Truckmakers are billed to meet the Murphy Did It team of Omaha, Nebraska, at Omaha on Thursday, June 3.

This game will not be the only one of the trip, however, as the Yellow Chassis bunch of diamond pastimers will be gone from Alma for at least ten days.

During this time the Joe McGinnity team, representing the A. C. Staley Mfg. of Decatur, Illinois, will be played on May 27. A game is to be arranged for May 28. On May 29, 30 and 31, the nine will meet the Barker-White team of Danville, Illinois, which formerly represented that city in the Three I league.

The aggregation will then jump west to Omaha for one game and then back to Chicago, where some fast team will be played on Saturday, June 4. The following day the Republicans will meet the Black Devils of Peoria, Illinois, on the Alma field. This team is considered to be the fastest colored nine in the entire country.

## SAGINAW ACES TO BE HERE THREE WEEKS

Champs of Michigan-Ontario League Will Meet Republic Pastimers in Six Games.

The Saginaw Aces, champions of the Michigan-Ontario league last year, will be in their spring training camp in Alma for three weeks, Chas. G. Grubb, business manager of the Republics, has announced, following a visit to Alma Saturday of President Clements of the Saginaw Club, and Manager "Red" McKee.

The Aces are called to report in Saginaw on April 19, and that evening will hit the trail for Alma, where spring practice will be started on Tuesday, April 20. The Aces will leave for Saginaw on May 11, the day before the league season opens. They will train on Republic field.

Manager McKee will bring 24 men to Alma for the spring training, and it is probable that most of the 24 will remain here during the entire three weeks, although a few of the men will probably fail to meet the requirements of McKee and be turned out.

During the time that the leaguers are in Alma they will meet the Republics in six games, three to be staged on Saturdays and three on Sundays. The dates for these games have been agreed upon as follows: April 24 and 25, May 1, 2, 8 and 9.

No games have been scheduled as yet between the Aces and the college team, but it is more than possible that McKee will schedule one or two games with the collegians. It is possible, that the college nine will not meet the Aces, as the Maroon and Cream has six games scheduled during the time that McKee's men are in Alma.

Republic field, which is to be used by the Aces, while they are in Alma, is to be improved greatly before the spring training of either the Republics or the Aces start. Manager Grubb states that it is expected that the work on the grounds will be started this week, and will be rushed just as rapidly as possible, so as to be completed at the earliest possible date.

## TAKES AGENCY

The appointment of Earl C. Clapp to sell in this community the new hardware and sporting goods manufactured by the Winchester Repeating Arms Company is announced. And in the opinion of leading merchants it is one of the most interesting and important developments the local retail trade has known.

First his family, next his dog, then comes his "Winchester," in the love of the best type of American. Almost every family seems to have possessed a Winchester at one time or another, and the love and respect for the good old gun is just about universal. And now that recently there have been many new additions to the Winchester "family," there is wide popular interest in the new cousins and other relatives of the famous repeating rifle.

Fifty-three years ago the Winchester repeating rifle was placed on the market by the Winchester Repeating Arms Company, of New Haven, Conn. It was a good rifle, in fact the first truly successful repeating rifle, and almost immediately achieved great popularity. This first success was made secure by the strength and vision of its makers, one of the first American concerns to build with the purpose of gaining and holding a dominant place in the world's industrial arena.

So large was the part played by the Winchester rifle in the settling of the great West and establishing law and order, that the name Winchester came into common use in place of the word rifle. And so high was the standard of manufacture maintained for it, that it was soon the favorite hunting rifle all over the world.

The Fortnightly society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. R. H. Wilcox, 537 State street, Tuesday afternoon, March 23.

Buy the best. Buy DeLuxe.—77-17

## ASSOCIATION IN NEED OF MONEY

Alma Building & Loan Called On For Aid In Financing Much Building.

## MANY MORE APPLICATIONS

Fifty More Houses Will Be Built If Part of Funds Can Be Secured.

At a meeting of the directors of the Alma Building & Loan Association Tuesday night, it developed that the association, which recently increased its capital to one million dollars, must devise means for more extensive house financing in the city, and plans for increasing the funds of the organization are now being considered.

A number of people have recently secured loans from the association with which to aid them in home building until funds are practically exhausted. It was stated yesterday by D. L. Johnson, secretary of the association, that the concern had applications for fifty homes, which would be built if the funds were in the hands of the association. He estimated that this would take in the neighborhood of \$75,000.

It is very probable that the Alma Building & Loan Association will receive numerous other applications for loans to aid in home building, and the need for additional memberships is thus plainly apparent.

The drive for memberships for the \$1,000 Club, which was started in December brought in about 340 members, which is yielding a fair fund each month for the association, but which is far too small to handle the number of applications which are being made for loans by good responsible citizens.

Plans for a campaign to secure further funds to finance home building by the Alma Building & Loan Association are being very seriously considered, and it is expected that within a very short time some announcement will be made of the method of campaigning to secure new memberships to the association, that funds may be secured to aid in home building, which is now one of the most serious problems that is now confronting the city, and which must be speedily solved if the city is to continue to progress as it should.

## MAKES STATEMENT

General Manager of Sugar Company Makes Statement to Repute Claims.

W. H. Wallace, general manager of the Michigan Sugar company, issued a statement Monday denying claims which have been made recently in a farm periodical purporting to show injustices in the way in which the beet growers of the state have been treated in the fixing of the sugar beet prices. He declared that these statements are incorrect, and in refuting them said:

"In an attempt to secure labor for next year, it soon became apparent that even \$28.00 per acre was not enough. It was decided to advance companies assuming it themselves on account of having agreed with the farmer to endeavor to secure the labor for them at \$28."

"Since the sliding scale has been in effect, the price paid to farmers for beets has been dependent upon the average price of sugar between October 1 and February 1. It is said that the price invariably advances after February 1. This statement is not true. At no time since the sliding scale has been in effect, the price of beets being based upon the price of sugar, has the Michigan Sugar Company sold its sugar after February 1st at an advance over the price prior to Feb. 1."

"During the past three years the government has fixed the price at which beet sugar is sold. It has fixed such a price as in their opinion would prevent profiteering by beet companies. Our books are open at all times to their inspection. In a letter to the beet growers at Pigeon, Mr. Ackermann advises them that the attorney general requests him to advise all farmers not to accept contracts for 1920 until after the companies had been investigated. This is a mistake, or perhaps a misunderstanding, because this is not within the jurisdiction of the department of justice or the attorney general, and has been so declared through Mr. Figg, Mr. Palmer's assistant, who is in charge of the sugar department. This statement of Mr. Figg was in the Detroit and Saginaw papers."

"Mr. Ketcham makes the statement that the sugar companies make a profit of 50 per cent on every pound they produce. He also claims that there has been evidence of 'wash sales.' This is emphatically denied. Such sales are illegal. A few years ago the government spent several weeks going over our books even to the extent of proving back to the field. No criticism was offered. Someone makes the statement that millions are made in speculating. This does not apply to our company, and I do not believe it applies to any other company in Michigan. We are manufacturers and do

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## CALL MEETING

First Voters and Young Republicans to Meet at Gratiot Club.

A meeting of first voters and young Republicans has been called to meet at the Gratiot club next week Wednesday evening, March 24 at 8:00 p. m., at which time it is expected that a Young Men's Republican Club of Alma will be organized. Many of the more prominent young Republicans of the city feel that a more active party in party affairs should be taken by them, and the proposed organization is to bring the young Republicans into close contact with each other, and to form an organization which will have a more effective working power, than would a number of young Republicans, each working alone. It is felt by those who are backing the project that there are numerous matters which the young Republicans can take hold of, which will prove highly beneficial to the organization.

Young Republicans up to forty years of age, are requested to be present at the meeting, as are the first voters of the city, who will be given every opportunity to join the club, if they so desire.

Young Men's Republican clubs have been formed in many cities of the state, and are carrying on work with telling effect. There is believed to be a similar opportunity here.

## AMERICAN LEGION

### POST ENTERTAINED

Business Men of City Attended A Good Athletic Show As The Guests of Post.

Monday evening the George W. Myers Post No. 132, American Legion held a smoker and athletic entertainment at the Republic cafeteria, which was highly enjoyed, not only by the numerous members of the legion, who attended, but many professional and business men of the city, who were guests of the Legionnaires that evening.

The first feature of the evening was a wrestling match between Ernest Fenby and Hole, both of this city. Fenby agreed to throw Hole twice in fifteen minutes. Fenby has not been training and was not in the best of shape for the bout, and as a result Hole proved strong enough to make the match interesting, and kept the veteran wrestler from downing him twice in the time specified. Fenby took the first fall in six and a half minutes.

Young Ward of Saginaw and Jerry Otto of Alma then staged a boxing match of four two minute rounds. Ward had the better of Otto at the start, but the Alma man came back strongly on points towards the finish.

Commander Reese of the Legion post announced before the next bout that the post was very strongly inclined to secure boxing show permit from the state boxing commission, calling attention to the way that the sport had been advanced in the army, and the fact that under the state boxing commission it could be nothing else than clean. Some of the business men and others present were asked what support they would give to such a movement, and when Commander Reese was assured that support would be given the Legionnaires in the move, he stated that the club would plan to secure such a permit.

Hoffman of Saginaw West Side and Woodcock of Saginaw East Side then staged a lively four round session, that was full of pep and punch. The lads made a fine impression on the crowd, and there is a strong talk of bringing them back to Alma in the near future for an eight or ten round bout.

The athletic card was brought to a close with a six round bout between Ed Charles of Bay City and Billy Carpenter of Saginaw. It brought out flashes of real action, that made a hit with the fans, but did not hold the interest that the former go held. Carpenter clearly had the edge over his Bay City opponent.

A lunch of "hot dogs" and coffee was served immediately following the main bout, to which the crowd did full justice.

## ZETA SIGMA

Annual Banquet of College Society Was Held Saturday Evening.

The Zeta Sigma Stag at the Wright House Saturday night was one of the most spirited affairs that has ever been held in the history of Zeta Sigma and those men of Alma who were present will long remember the feeling of brotherhood which permeated the atmosphere all thru the banquet and extended into the program which followed. Any man who found it impossible to attend has reason to regret the fact, for while students always feel and know that Alma spirit is in existence it requires a Zeta Sigma banquet to bring forth this mysterious something about which Alma men have long wondered and which manifests itself in divers ways throughout the days or years of their college life.

Promptly at nine o'clock the guests formed their lines and marching to the strains of Lohengrin's "Wedding March" whistled by the three "K's" entered the dining room to begin another historical event in the life of Zeta Sigma and of Alma College.

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## THREE BUSINESS CHANGES COMING

Converse To Move To A New Location Within The Next Ten Days.

## SHOE STORE IS TO EXPAND

Ogle Harness Shop To Be Closed At End of Month and Stock Moved To Ithaca.

On March 23, the J. E. Converse jewelry store in the Ingersoll block will be closed and on April 1, it will again be opened to the public in the Horst & Gibbs block, in the present location of the C. E. Ogle harness shop, which will be moved to make room for the jewelry store. These changes make possible the obtaining of the entire floor of the Ingersoll block by the Economy shoe store.

C. C. Ogle, proprietor of the Ogle harness shop, recently purchased the Theodore Ryckman harness shop in Ithaca, which he will take possession of the first of the coming month. Mr. Ogle will move to Ithaca with his family at that time.

New fixtures have been purchased by the Economy shoe store for use in the west room of the Ingersoll block in which the men's department of the store is to be located. The fixtures are of the latest design for shoe stores and promise to make the men's department a fine place, and the entire store one that will rank with the best in this section of the state. It is understood that A. A. and J. C. Chick, owners of this store will also install a shoe repairing department in the rear of the store, machinery for which was purchased some little time ago, and is expected to arrive soon.

It will take some little time, it is expected to remodel the west room and get the fixtures installed, and it may possibly be the middle of April or still later before the work is completed.

J. E. Converse is also expecting to give Alma a far better store in the new location, where he will have plenty of room. He has gone to considerable expense in the securing of new fixtures, similar to those in the present store. The Ogle store will be remodeled somewhat to suit the needs of the business, and when the work is finished, and the store opens the first of the month, Mr. Converse believes that he will have a jewelry store well worthy of the hustling city in which it is located. He also expects to carry a far larger stock of goods in the new location.

## ORATORICAL CONTEST

Miss Alberta Bowman Given Second Honors in State Contest.

Alma ranked well in the State Oratorical Contest at Adrian Saturday, Miss Bowman taking second place in the Women's Contest and Mr. Dasef fifth in the Men's. The representatives of Hope college carried off first honors in both events. Carpenter of Kalamazoo won second place for that college in the men's contest, and Miss Graybiel of the same place was third among the lady orators. Third among the men was won by Albion.

The general theme of most of the orations was Americanism, especially in our duties and relations towards American immigrants. Several of the orations followed the same line of thought, and because of the sameness of subject matter, it was easier for the judges to decide as to the best presentation of topic.

The Women's Contest was held Saturday afternoon in the chapel of Adrian college. The program of orations was carried out as follows: "The Test of American Patriotism," Miss Doris Alverson of Adrian; "America—For Whom?", Miss Gertrude Pratt of Albion; "Education—A Means of Americanization," Miss Alberta Bowman, Alma's representative; "The patriotism of Peace," Miss Loretta Potter of Hillsdale; "An Age on Ages Telling," the winning oration, Miss Tena Holkeboer, Hope College; "The Potter's Wheel," Miss Marion Graybiel, Kalamazoo; and "The New Conflict," Miss Pearl Bigge of Michigan State Normal.

The Men's Contest was held in the Baptist Church in the evening. The program as carried out was: "The Spirit of Tolerance," William Walker of Adrian; "The Negro Citizen," Mr. Ray Winegar of Albion; "The Marks of the Man," Mr. Dasef of Alma; "Americanization or Dissolution," Mr. Len Latham of Hillsdale; "One Nation, One Language, One Flag," the best oration in this contest, Mr. Harry Hager of Hope; "Where There is No Vision," Mr. H. L. Carpenter of Kalamazoo; and "The New America," Mr. Charles Forsythe of Michigan State Normal.

Alma came very near winning first honors in the Women's Contest. The total of ranks for Hope and Alma was the same, and only a difference of half a per cent in the percentage average gave Hope a victory. Un-

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## MARRIED SATURDAY

Well Known Young People United in Marriage Here.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the First Methodist Episcopal church Saturday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock, when Miss Freda Blanchard, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Blanchard, was united in marriage to Mr. Clifford Devereaux, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Devereaux, by the Rev. Matt W. Duffey, who used the double ring service of the M. E. church.

Only the immediate members of the two families were present at the ceremony. Mr. Charles Ward Pembroke and Miss Vera Archer were the attendants. The bride wore a neat traveling suit of navy blue and a bouquet of roses and sweet peas.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Devereaux left on the Pere Marquette train for Grand Rapids for a few days. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends at 117 West Downie street.

Mr. and Mrs. Devereaux have both been residents of this city for some time, and are very popular among the younger people of the city, particularly among those at the Republic, where Mr. Devereaux is employed.

## ALMA COURT FIVES

### WIN THEIR GAMES

Legionnaires Defeated Union Trucks And High School Took Title With Ithaca's Defeat.

A double victory came Alma's way Saturday evening, when the local American Legion quintet romped over the Union Truck five of Bay City 23 to 15, and the high school cagers swamped Ithaca under a count of 37 to 6.

At no point in either contest was there ever a doubt as to the outcome as the superiority of the Alma teams was apparent at every stage of both battles.

The Bay City Truckers had a strong team, which won the industrial league title of Bay City with ease, and which had a record brilliant enough to give the Bay Cityans a strong claim to the Saginaw Valley Independent title. It did not have the strength, however, to penetrate the defense offered by Moore and Crittenden, in spite of the fact that these two men were playing their first guarding game together.

While Moore and "Critt" were holding the visiting forwards away from the baskets, Smith, Beattie and Gaffney were collecting eleven field baskets, which proved sufficient to land the game with ease. It was a bad night for pulling in points on fouls, the Legionnaires annexing just one point by the foul route.

Line-up and summary:

LEGION—23	UNION—15
Beattie	L. F.
M. Smith	R. F.
Gaffney	C.
Moore	L. G.
Crittenden	R. G.

Field baskets—Smith 5, Beattie 4, Gaffney 2, Lisk 4, Stegall 2. Fouls—Smith 0 out of 2, Beattie 1 out of 2, Stegall 3 out of 4. Referee—Wood, Alma college.

The high school game was just a practice romp for the locals, who had things their own way during the entire game, Ithaca being able to annex just two field baskets, the other two points being secured on fouls. Crech and Hyde proved the big scorers for the Alma team. Several subs were sent into the lineup late in the game.

Line-up and summary:

ALMA—37	Ithaca—6
Hyde	L. F.
Crech	C.
Stearns	R. F.
Hopkins	L. G.
	R. G.

Substitutions—Kress for Douglas, Lyons for Hyde, Anderson for Hopkins, Handley for Anderson. Field baskets—Crech 7, Hyde 6, Elias 2, Stearns, Lepley, Hubbard. Fouls—Crech 5 out of 5, Lepley 2 out of 9. Personal fouls called—Crech 2, Elias, Stearns, Hopkins, Lyons, Lepley, Kress. Referee—Wood, Alma college.

## ANCIENT HONDURAN CITY.

Copan is an ancient ruined city of northwestern Honduras, on the Copan river. The remains are of unknown antiquity and very extensive, stretching for about two miles along the river. The buildings are of stone, embracing a temple over 400 feet long with many sculptured figures. The Copan ruins take their name from a modern town to the east of them. This was an Indian stronghold, and was taken after a fierce struggle by the Spaniards under Hernando de Chaves in 1539.

## EVANGELISTIC SERVICE.

Beginning Sunday evening, March 21, the United Brethren church will hold a series of evangelistic meetings to continue for two weeks, services every night during the week beginning at 7:30. Rev. J. E. Harwood, the presiding elder of North Michigan conference will be present to do most of the preaching. All are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

F. W. Ruggles, president of the Republic Motor Truck Company Inc., is in New York this week on business.

## BETTER SUNDAY FEDERATION AIM

United Churches of Alma Seeking To Make City Better Community.

## TO ASK SUNDAY OBSERVANCE

Resolutions Adopted, Which Church Goers Will Be Requested to Sign.

A feature this week in the program of the Alma Federation of Churches which ought to attract favorable attention is the united effort to be made next Sunday by the various denominations to secure a better Sunday for our city.

The theme "A Better Sunday for Alma" will be considered in various pulpits. Alma is by no means a lax city in the question of Sunday observance but neither is it perfect. Furthermore there is good evidence that as a city we are more careless rather than more careful. The purpose of the Federation is to change the tide toward better conditions instead of worse. At the conclusion of the morning services in the churches all present will be given the opportunity to put their names to a copy of the following resolutions. It's a good thing to have the resolutions thus early before us so that they may be read and duly considered before being signed.

Preamble and resolutions presented by the Federated churches of Alma, Mich., having in view the better observance of the Lord's day commonly called Sunday.

Whereas, Man is so constituted that one day of rest is so necessary to his well-being, and whereas, the laws of God and man are framed with this beneficent end in view, and

Whereas, General experience as well as specific experiment has demonstrated that the observance of these laws promotes the efficiency of men, animals and machines, as well as the physical and moral welfare of society, therefore

Resolved, That the Church Federation of Alma recommends to this community a more general observance of the Lord's day, commonly called Sunday, as a day of rest, to the end that all toilers may enjoy the religious privileges so amply provided by our churches that body, mind and spirit may be refreshed, and that a more wholesome individual, family and social life may here prevail and

Resolved, in accordance with the foregoing, we, the undersigned, respectfully urge the merchants of our city to close their places of business not later than ten o'clock on Saturday nights, so that they and their employees may not be too weary to enjoy the Sunday meetings in the churches, and we request our citizens generally to do their shopping earlier in order that such closing may be effected without friction; and be it further

Resolved, We request that on Sunday, so far as possible, all factories, stores, offices and other places of business be closed, that all traffic, regular employment, labor in and about the house, and unnecessary noises on the streets be reduced to a minimum; that parents encourage their children to assemble in the Sunday schools for instruction in the principles of righteousness, purity, justice, truth and brotherly kindness, and so become factors in realizing a more wholesome christian civilization; and

Resolved, That to this program we pledge our hearty cooperation and support.

## PRESBYTERIAN BROTHERHOOD

The Presbyterian Brotherhood banquet, was held last evening in the basement of the First Presbyterian church and was attended by about 75 members of the Brotherhood. Following the banquet, Henry S. Babcock, toastmaster, in his very pleasing manner, introduced the various speakers of the evening, these being President J. Winslow of the Presbyterian Brotherhood, Professor Hamilton of Alma college, and Rev. Joseph Greene of Mt. Pleasant. During the affair two numbers were given by the Alma College male quartette, which proved very interesting. Professor Hamilton spoke on the subject of "Things Entering into the Making of a Man" and held the very close attention of his audience. Rev. Greene's address, the principal one of the evening, was on the duties and the privileges of American citizenship, and brought out some important and interesting ideas.

## HOW TO LIVE

The Alma Record has been fortunate in securing a series of articles entitled, "How to Live," which were penned by George F. Butler, A. M., M. D., former superintendent of the Alma Springs Sanitarium, which is now the Michigan Masonic Home. The first article of the series appears in this issue.

## NOTICE

The public is cordially invited to attend a dance and supper, given by the Modern Woodmen of America, at the I. O. O. F. hall March 23, 1920. Admission 50 cents.—adv.